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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of:

Marlin

Serial No.: 09/704,771

Group: 3712

Filed: 11/03/2000

Examiner: Miller, B

The Honorable Commissioner of
Patents and Trademarks
Washington, D.C. 20231

~~RESPONSE AFTER FINAL AMENDMENT~~

Sir:

~~This is a response to the Office Action mailed December 1, 2005.~~

~~IN THE CLAIMS~~

~~Please see the attachment~~

RESPONSE AFTER FINAL

This is in response to the Office Action of June 7, 2006.

Before responding to this Final Rejection, applicant notes the following case history:

On December 1, 2005, a Final Office Action was sent.

The Office Action has rejected claim 22 in light of Kelly and Brannon. Applicants respectfully disagree. The Office Action cited new art to support the Office's position that it would

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